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Sea Gull Creek

A small run of chums began to run in Sea Gull Creek July 11 and two days later the number increased, together with a few humpbacks. This run of chums proved very small.

Humpbacks began to school in Sea Gull creek August 10 and the run gradually increased. On August 16 practically 1000 humpbacks were escaping and by August 30 approximately 6300 had escaped into the stream.

A few cohoes were seen in the bay August 16 but the run was unusually small.

Bear Creek .

July 18 was the first day on which conditions were observed in Bear Creek, at which time about 250 salmon were escaping daily, but on examining the stream it was found that the fish did not go up farther than 600 or 700 yards from high water mark.

The peak of the run was between July 21 when practically 4000 fish had made their escapement and July 29 when practically 300 were going up stream every twenty-four hours.

The only fishing that was done close to the creek was on August 2 when a seine boat fishing about 100 yards from dead line caught about 350 humpbacks and 50 chums.

During August there was an exceptionally small run of salmon and the creeks being high they made their escapement directly up stream, perhaps 100 to 200 escaping per day.

A very small run of Cohoes were seen September 5, but after this time practically no salmon were seen in the bay.

Season of 1924 .

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